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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR MULTI-
LAYERED PACKET FILTERING AND
REMOTE MANAGEMENT OF NETWORK
DEVICES (As Amended)

Examiner: T. H. T. Dang

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated August 7, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.